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LITERACY REQUIREMENT FOR U.S. CITIZENSHIP

REF: STATE 191781

EMBASSY DISCUSSED REFTEL REQUEST WITH H. C. WALKINE, UNDER SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS. WALKINE, WHO IS CHARGED WITH CITIZENSHIP MATTERS, REPORTED THAT UNDER BAHAMIAN NATIONALITY ACT OF 1973 PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE IS A PREREQUISITE TO ATTAINING BAHAMIAN CITIZENSHIP. WALKINE EXPLAINED THAT ABILITY TO WRITE CORRECT ENGLISH IS NOT ALWAYS REQUIRED, BUT THAT ABILITY TO SPEAK THE LANGUAGE, AND PARTICULARLY TO UNDERSTAND IT WELL, IS.

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